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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: William H. Lewis et al.

Serial No.: 10/616,402

Filed: July 9, 2003

For: SYSTEM, METHOD, AND
APPARATUS FOR ATTRACTING AND
STIMULATING AQUATIC ANIMALS

Group Art Unit: 3662

Examiner: Ian J. Lobo

Atty. Dkt. No.: 406-0008US
(formerly 012407.000081)

Customer No.: 29855

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 15, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop Amendment
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby submits its Reply to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2004 in the above-referenced matter. Reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application is respectfully requested. A three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is hereby requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the requisite extension fees and any other fees necessitated by this paper from Wong Cabello's Deposit Account No. 501922, referencing new attorney docket no. 406-0008US.

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective December 8, 2004

10/016,402

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | | |
| FOR | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA |
| TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS | minus 20 = | * |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | minus 3 = | * |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT | | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SMALL ENTITY
TYPE

OTHER THAN
OR SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | FEES |
|-----------|--------|
| BASIC FEE | 150.00 |
| X\$ 25= | |
| X100= | |
| +180= | |
| TOTAL | |

| RATE | FEES |
|-----------|--------|
| BASIC FEE | 300.00 |
| X\$50= | |
| X200= | |
| +360= | |
| TOTAL | |

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

AMENDMENT A CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT A | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|---|--------------------------|---|------------------|
| Total | * 25 | Minus | ** 80 | = 5 |
| Independent | * 8 | Minus | *** 3 | = 1 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

SMALL ENTITY

OR

OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$ 25= | 125.00 |
| X100= | |
| +180= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | 125.00 |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$50= | |
| X200= | |
| +360= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | |

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT B | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|---|--------------------------|---|------------------|
| Total | * 8 | Minus | ** 8 | = 0 |
| Independent | * 8 | Minus | *** 8 | = 0 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$ 25= | |
| X100= | |
| +180= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$50= | |
| X200= | |
| +360= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | |

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT C | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|---|--------------------------|---|------------------|
| Total | * 8 | Minus | ** 8 | = 0 |
| Independent | * 8 | Minus | *** 8 | = 0 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$ 25= | |
| X100= | |
| +180= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| X\$50= | |
| X200= | |
| +360= | |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE | |